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In re Application of:

Ernst Eberlein et al.

Serial No.: 09/673,271

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For: Frame Structure and Frame Synchronization
for Multicarrier Systems

Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENTCommissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, the Applicants herewith submit copies of the items listed in the attached Form PTO-1449. The Examiner's consideration and acknowledgement of these items is respectfully requested.

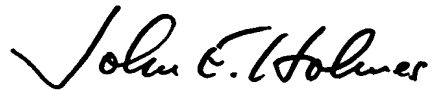
The Applicants note that one of the listed items (European Patent Application No. 0 631 406) is not in the English language. However, in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(3)(i), a concise explanation of the relevance of this document appears in the background of the present application (see the substitute specification filed on October 13, 2000 at page 3, line 34 through page 4, line 8).

The Examiner is also advised of the existence of the following commonly-assigned U.S. national stage patent applications which disclose and claim related subject matter:

<u>Applicants</u>	<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Title</u>
Ernst Eberlein et al.	09/673,265	Coarse Frequency Synchronisation in Multicarrier Systems
Ernst Eberlein et al.	09/673,270	Method and Apparatus for Fine Frequency Synchronization in Multi-Carrier Demodulation Systems
Ernst Eberlein et al.	09/673,266	Echo Phase Offset Correction in a Multi-Carrier Demodulation System (As Amended)
Ernst Eberlein et al.	09/673,206	Dual-Mode Receiver for Receiving Satellite and Terrestrial Signals in a Digital Broadcast System

The Examiner is invited to review the art which has been made of record by the Applicants in the applications listed above, in addition to the documents submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,



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